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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated March 12, 2004, setting a shortened three-month statutory period for response to expire on June 12, 2004, and having been extended by three months to expire on September 13, 2004 (September 12, 2004 being a Sunday), by the accompanying Request for Extension of Time, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objections and rejections in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

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AMENDMENTS TO TITLE

Replace the Title with the following:

TANDEM TYPE PRINTER SCANNING OPTICAL SYSTEM HAVING  
DIFFRACTION LENS STRUCTURE